



Mr. Angelo Pappas

November 12, 1919 - October 31, 2015

Evangelos Athanasios Papadopoulos, 96, died on Saturday October 31, 2015 at this home. His wife Mary Vlahos Pappas was by his side.

Angelo was born in Fidakia Evrytania, Greece on November 12, 1919 to the late Athanasios and Maria Kaltsunis Papadopoulos. He is also preceded in death by two brothers, three sisters and his granddaughter, Katy Anne.

Angelo migrated to America in 1938 where he worked in New York. He worked his way to Williamson, WV and Columbia, SC until he finally settled in Asheville in 1954 where he opened Grace Restaurant in North Asheville. In 1955 he married his loving and devoted wife Mary Vlahos. Together they opened Land O'Sky Restaurant in Biltmore and ran the business for 20 years. He is survived by his wife Mary, three children, Arthur (Laurie), Litsa (Ted), Penny (Steve) and his grandchildren, Helene (Ken), Dean, Evan, Maria, Sara, Stephanie and Davis, as well as two great grandchildren, Cameron and Connor.

Angelo was a loving and dedicated husband, father, Papou (grandfather) and friend to all that knew him. He served on many boards and was a faithful member of his church and is the current recipient of the Archangel Michael Award.

A Trisagion will be held on Monday November 2, 2015 at 7:00pm at Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church with Father Michael Diavatis officiating. The family will receive friends starting at 6:00pm. A funeral service will be held on Tuesday November 3, 2015 at 11:00am at the church with Father Tom Pistolis

officiating. Burial will follow at Riverside Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church General Fund, 227 Cumberland Ave., Asheville, NC 28801.

Cemetery Details

Riverside Cemetery

53 Birch Street
Asheville, NC 28801

Previous Events

Trisagion

NOV 2. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church
Asheville, NC 28801
<http://www.holytrinityasheville.com>

Funeral Service

NOV 3. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Angelo Pappas*

October 07, 2023 at 11:15 AM



“ *I was browsing and found that Angelo has passed. I did not know. I remember him so much at the Coach House coming in to help us on the weekends. I loved working with Mary and him, such a beautiful couple! I will always cherish my life during those times.. love you all.*
Raynae Jones

raynae jones - November 25, 2015 at 10:23 PM



“ *With Love, Nick H. Pournaras and Family and Nikki Pournaras purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Mr. Angelo Pappas.*



With Love, Nick H. Pournaras and Family and Nikki Pournaras - November 02, 2015 at 09:41 AM



“ *David Bell sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Angelo Pappas*



David Bell - November 01, 2015 at 08:39 PM

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“ I was a neighborhood to the Pappas's across the street. We were a group of college and post college students from UNCA and lived on Lynmar for 4-5 years. We all become great friends with Angelo and Mary during our time. We showed us how to take care of the fig trees and the garden he had originally planted on the property. He amazed a bunch of 20 year olds regularly with his strength, stamina, sense of humor and charm. He will be missed and remembered by all of us that knew him.



David Bell

David Bell - November 01, 2015 at 08:32 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mr. Angelo Pappas.



November 01, 2015 at 04:35 PM